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SUBJECT: LOS: METTING OF NEGOTIATING GROUP I (ECONOMIC ZONE) OF
COMMITTEE II, A.M. 9 AUGUST

1. GENERAL DEBATE ON LEGAL STATUS OF ECONOMIC ZONE CONTINUED
WITH PERU, ECUADOR AND CHINA ON THE ONE SIDE, AND USSR, IRAQ,
NETHERLANDS AND FRANCE ON THE OTHER. SINGAPORE (SPEAKING AS
CHAIRMAN OF WORKING GROUP OF LL/GDS ON C-II MATTERS) SUPPORTED
PRINCIPLE THAT ECONOMIC ZONE REMAINS HIGH SEAS, SUBJECT TO
EXPLICITLY DEFINED COASTAL STATE RIGHTS. EXPRESSED DISSATIS-
FACTION THAT CONCEPT OF GEOGRAPHICALLY DISADVANTAGED STATES
NOT RECOGNIZED IN RSNT. GREECE CRITICIZED BALANCE OF
ARTICLES 44 AND 46, RSNT, AS BEING IMBLANCED IN FAVOR OF
COASTAL STATES. MALTA EXPRESSED VIEW THAT ULTIMATE COMPRO-
MISE SHOULD BE FOUND IN TREATING ECONOMIC ZONE AS SUI
GENERIS, BY DRAFTING A SEPARATE SECTION ON THE ZONE ALONE,
WITHOUT CROSS-REFERENCES TO OTHER SECTIONS, AND BY SPELLING
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OUT IN UNAMBIGUOUS TERMS RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF COASTAL AND

OTHER STATES IN ZONE.

2. MEETING ADJOURNED EARLY, AND AFTERNOON MEETINGS
CANCELLED DUE TO HURRICANE WARNING, AND TO PERMIT UN
STAFF TO RETURN HOME.
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